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For : C-TERMINAL p53 PALINDROMIC PEPTIDE THAT INDUCES

APOPTOSIS OF CELLS WITH ABERRANT p53 AND USES

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Sir:

COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 OFFICE ACTION

This Communication is submitted in response to the September 30, 2008 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the September 30, 2008 Office Action is due October 30, 2008. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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